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From THURSDAY *April* 23, to THURSDAY *April* 30, 1741.

Extract from the Journal of the Pruſſian Army in Sileſia.

'THE 18th of January, *N.S.* the King ordered Col. Brock to go the Neiſs with a Trumpeter, and ſignify his Intentions to the Commandant of that Place. The Colonel having approach'd the Place and the Trumpeter given the Call, they were fired upon; this did not hinder the Trumpeter from drawing a little nearer and ſounding his Trumpet again; but ſeeing ſeveral Horſemen iſſuing out of the Town with an Intent to ſurround him, he retired, and the Colonel came back to give an Account of what paſſed to the King.

'The 19th his Majeſty, being irritated at the Behaviour of the Garriſon, which was ſo contrary to the Rules of fair War, order'd ſeveral Pieces of Cannon and Mortars to be planted on an Eminence on this Side of the River, and towards Eleven in the Morning the Bombardment began.

'The 20th the King ſent a Drummer to Town to demand the Reaſon of their Proceedings in Regard to the Trumpeter. The Commandant made Anſwer that he knew nothing of the Matter.

'The Bombardment continued that Day and the next, when the Garriſon ſurrendered; we don't yet know upon what Conditions; all we hear is, that the Commandant has been puniſh'd as well as the Garriſon and the Burghers; and it is ſaid, that above one ſixth Part of the Town has been deſtroyed by the Bombs.'

Olmackow in Sileſia, Jan. 28. The Veldt-Marſhal Count Schwerin hearing that Lieutenant-General Count Brown had abandon'd his Poſt, and retreated againſt Jægendorff, continued his March, and arrived the 23d Inſt. near that Place; but he found that Count Brown had abandon'd it, and retir'd the ſame Day to a ſmall Town call'd Gratz, on the River Mora, a League diſtant from Troppau. The next Day Major Putkammer was diſpatch'd with 50 Huſſars, to reconnoitre that River, and the Enemy's Poſture. On this Side of the Bridge he found a Detachment of the Regiment of Lichtenſtein, Dragoons. The Huſſars having attack'd them, kill'd two of them, and drove the reſt beyond the Bridge.

The 25th the Veldt-Marſhal advanc'd towards Gratz with four Companies of Grenadiers, 200 Huſſars, and Three Pieces of Cannon of Three Pound Ball. At his Arrival Count Brown poſted ſome Grenadiers on the Bridge, and drew up in order of Battle five Battalions, the Regiment of Lichtenſtein, and 300 Huſſars. The Veldt-Marſhal marched up to the Enemy, notwithſtanding he was ſo much inferior in Number, and plac'd his Cannon againſt the Bridge. The Grenadiers ſuſtain'd the firſt Charge, but ran away at the ſecond, and ſet Fire to the Bridge. Our Troops ſoon extinguiſh'd the Fire, and having drawn up on the other Side, fir'd in Platoons on the neareſt Battalions. The latter made at firſt a Shew of defending themſelves; but after they had ſtood five or ſix Volies they retired with their Horſe, and ſet Fire to the Suburb of Gratz, to cover their Retreat. We hear they fled directly into Moravia, without ſtopping any where.

Laſt Sunday Se'nnight the King of Pruſſia, and his Brother Prince William, return'd from the Army in Sileſia to Berlin in perfect Health.

Naples, January 10. Every Thing is ready for the Departure of the Troops deſign'd for the Expedition againſt Tuſcany, and we expect every Day to hear that they have begun their March. Several Veſſels have lately been ſent away with Proviſions for the Magazines of Porto-Longono, Orbitello, and other Places on the Coaſt of Tuſcany. The Queen is again with Child.

Vienna, January 15. Don Carpentero, Secretary of the Spaniſh Embaſſy, who ſet out for Madrid the 20th Inſtant, went the Day before to Count Sintzendorff and deliver'd to him a Proteſt, the Subſtance of which is as follows: *That his Catholick Majeſty having very good Claims to the Succeſſion of the late Emperor Charles VI. he is reſolv'd to maintain them: That the Right of creating Knights of the Golden Fleece belongs to him alone at preſent; therefore he forbids the Great Duke of Tuſcany to exerciſe the Functions of Grand Maſter of that Order: That tho' this Article is already ſufficiently provided for Treaties, nevertheleſs, for further Security, he renews his Claim in this Reſpect and ſolemnly proteſts againſt all Steps or Enterprizes contrary thereto, being fully reſolv'd to maintain the ſaid Rights and Prerogatives in proper Time and Place.*

Berlin, January 31. The King will certainly return to Sileſia the Middle of next Month. Our Troops already there amount to 34,000 Men; by that Time the Reſt arrive from this Place and Pruſſia they will make up 50,000.

Hanover, February 3. We are aſſur'd that the King is expected here next Spring, in order to take proper Meaſures in regard to the preſent State of Affairs in the Empire. We hear that the Orders for the March of the Troops of this Electorate will be iſſued ſometime next Month, and not before.

Conſtantinople, December 20. Great Armaments are making in divers Provinces of this Empire, as well in Europe as Aſia. It is given out on this Occaſion, that theſe Preparations are making, in order to oppoſe the Enterprizes of Thamas Kouli Kan, who is ſuſpected of hatching evil Deſigns againſt the Grand Signior's Dominions. —— The Count D'Uhleſeldt, Embaſſador here from the Court of Vienna, has preſented freſh Credentials as Miniſter of the Queen of Hungary; but the Porte has not as yet recognized that Princeſs in that Capacity.

Verſailles, February 9. It is aſſured that ſecret Negociations are upon the Carpet, on Matters of Moment, betwixt the Courts of Spain, Naples, Berlin, and Saxony.

Berlin, February 14. Our laſt Letters from Sileſia adviſe that the Caſtle of Namſlaw has ſurrender'd to the King's Troops, and that the Garriſon conſiſting of 300 Men, has been made Priſoners of War.

Paris, February 15. The 11th Inſtant, the King made a Promotion of ſeven Marſhals of France, viz. the Marquiſs de Brancas, the Duke de Duras, the Marquiſs de Maillebois, the Count de Belle-Iſle, the Marquiſs de Nangis, the Prince d'Isenghein, and the Duke de Chevreuſe.

London, February 3. A Day being at laſt appointed for taking into Conſideration the grand Affair of WOOL, it is not to be doubted but the Publick will pay a very *particular Attention* to the Proceedings thereon: No Point whatever being of greater Conſequence to the Common-Wealth: The Value of Lands, the Employment of our Poor, the Revival of our Commerce, and the humbling of *F——e*, all depending on that one *ineſtimable Article*.

The Decay, &c. of the Woollen Manufacture will come before both Houſes of Parliament the 14th of next Month.

Yeſterday was held a Board of Admiralty, when the Right Hon. the Lords Commiſſioners were pleas'd to put into Commiſſion the Royal Sovereign, a firſt Rate, and gave the Command thereof to Capt. Falkingham. At the ſame time their Lordſhips commiſſioned the Royal George, another firſt Rate Man of War, and appointed Capt. Allen Commander thereof.

In ſome private Letters to his Friends in England, we hear, that Admiral Vernon writes, that the American Seas will not hold him and the Marquis d'Antin at the ſame Time; but that one or the other muſt ſhortly give Place.

Orders are ſent down from the Navy-Board to the Maſter Builder at Deptford Yard, to puſh forward with all Expedition the finiſhing of the *Eſſex*, a Third Rate of 70 Guns, now rebuilding there, which 'tis expected will be finiſhed in ſix Weeks, the Carpenters being obliged to work double Tides and Sundays upon her. — *The Violation of the Sabbath is not agreeable to the* Faſt.

The Triumph Snow Prize, in which Capt. Rentone came with the News of Admiral Vernon's having taken Porto Bello, is purchas'd by ſome Merchants to cruiſe on the Spaniards. The Command of her is given to Capt. Gibeon Ball. She carries 120 Men, and mounts 24 Guns.

February 5. There are now Ten ſmall Veſſels building in private Yards for the Service of the Government, which are to be employ'd, as well in guarding the Coaſt, as to look after the Owlers and Smugglers.

The 70 Gun Ship which has been rebuilding at Woolwich, is now finiſh'd and ready to be launch'd.

There is alſo a new 40 Gun Ship ready to be launch'd at a private Yard; and the new Bomb-Veſſels are alſo in great Forwardneſs.

February 7. The Articles of the Defenſive Treaty between Ruſſia and Great-Britain having been ſettled ſince laſt Auguſt, they ſay that Mr. Finch only waits for a Courier from London, in order to ſign the Treaty in Form: One of its Articles ſtipulates, that the Ruſſian Fleet ſhall be joined by ſeveral Engliſh Men of War in caſe of Need. They add, that ſeveral Battalions are marched from Livonia into Courland.

We hear from Berlin, that they are getting ready a new Train of Artillery for Sileſia, which is to conſiſt of 30 Battering Places, and 16 large Mortars. *To which is added an* EXCUSE *for his Pruſſian Majeſty's ſudden Return from Sileſia.*

February 10. We hear his Majeſty will head his Troops in Perſon, if any be ſent abroad, as was reported; and that General Wade will have the Command under him.

We alſo hear that his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland's Equipage is preparing to be put on board the Royal George, where his Highneſs goes a Volunteer.

February 12. We hear that Sir John Norris with a large Squadron of Men of War under his Command, will ſail to the Mediterranean to replace Rear-Admiral Haddock's Squadron, which, 'tis ſaid, will return Home to careen.

February 14. A great Number of Cannon are order'd to be caſt, both for the Sea and Land Service; as alſo ſeveral Thouſand ſmall Arms to be made with all Expedition.

CHARLES-TOWN, April 30.

We hear that the *Evelyn, James Cunningham* Maſter, bound from *Briſtol* for this Place, is drove aſhore at Cape *Hatteras*.

We hear from *Virginia*, that ſome Officers are arrived there from *Georgia*, with a Commiſſion from General *Oglethorpe*, to inliſt Men in his Majeſty's Service, in that and the neighbouring Colonies, to go over there, it being reſolv'd on to beſiege St. *Auguſtine* again this Spring.

We hear from the ſame Place, that Capt *Seth Drummond*, of the *George* Privateer, of *Philadelphia*, has taken a very conſiderable Prize, after a hot and bloody Engagement of Five Hours, and the Loſs of 15 of his Men. That he had carried his Prize into Port *Antonio*, but intended to bring her round to *Kingſton*.

Laſt Friday Morning about 4 o'Clock, a terrible Fire broke out in this Town, which entirely conſum'd the Houſe next to the Priſon, but did no farther Damage.

On Saturday laſt died at his Plantation, in the 39th Year of his Age, very much lamented by all his Neighbours and Acquaintances; *William Fuller*, Eſq; Major of the firſt Troop of Horſe in this Province, and the next Day was decently interred.

Cuſtom Houſe, Charleſtown, Entred Inwards.

Snow Lovely Sally, John Vavaſor from Briſtol.

Entred Outwards.

Ship Caſtilow, Thomas Hill for Cowes.
Snow Lovely Sally, John Vavaſor for Portugal.

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Dragon, Thomas Titehurſt to Virginia
Billander King George, Thomas Bradford to London.
Snow Molly, Cornelius Bowne to Philadelphia.
—— Diligence, Robert Roſe to Dover.
—— Diamond, John Hoar to Briſtol
—— Mercury, John Odiorne to Boſton.
—— Pretty Betſey, William Hawkings to Oporto.
—— Barum, John Daymond, } to Cowes,
Brigt Margaret & Sarah, Robert Cade, }
—— St. Fernando, James Patterſon, } to Cowes,
—— William, John Watts }
—— Pentylvania, Henry Harley to Falmouth.
Schooner Dorcheſter, Joſeph Wheeler to Providence.

Exported from this Place ſince Nov. 1 1740 Rice 57641 Barrels, and 2060 Baggs. Pitch 7491 Barrels. Tarr 1151 Barrels. Turpentine 370 Barrels.

PRICE of the following Goods.

Rice 60 *s per C.* — Turpentine 22 *s.* 6 *d*
Pitch 52 *s. per Barrel.* — Skins 17 *s*
Tarr 40 *s.* — Indian Corn 27 *s* 6 *d per Bush.*

Advertiſements.

TO be ſold, a Houſe fronting the Eaſt End of the Church, conſiſting of Two Tenements; either in the Whole, or each Tenement ſeparate. Enquire of ISAAC HOLMES

TO be ſold by the Subſcriber, very good Tea, Coffe, a very good Aſſortment of Iron Pots, ſundry other Goods; Wigs, Rusks and Ginger Bread as uſual. JOSEPH SHUTE

WHEREAS it has been reported by the Heirs of Mr. *Joſeph Seabrook*, late of this Province, deceaſed, and others intereſted in the ſaid *Joſeph*'s Eſtate; that the Iſland called *Seabrook*'s Iſland, did, and doth ſtill belong to them the ſaid *Joſeph*'s Heirs, notwithſtanding they very well know that it was mortgaged to Col. *Arthur Hall*, for a large Sum of Money, and afterwards abſolutely ſold and convey'd by the ſaid *Joſeph* and his Wife, to the ſaid Col *Hall*'s Executors in Truſt. Which Report was calculated with no other View than to prejudice the Sale of the ſaid Iſland, eſpecially as they had averred to their Neighbours and others, who might otherwiſe have been inclinable to purchaſe, that the ſaid Iſland was entailed by *Robert Seabrook*, the ſaid *Joſeph*'s Father, ſo as that he the ſaid *Joſeph* could not alien the ſame.

THESE are therefore to give Notice, to ſuch Perſons as may be inclinable to purchaſe the ſaid Iſland, that the Subſcribers who are Proprietors thereof, and hold the ſame by an undoubted and indiſputable Title, will ſell the ſaid Iſland or Iſlands for long Credit, the Purchaſer giving Security if required, and paying Intereſt from the Day of Sale; and, that they will give Security in 10,000 £. to defend the Title to the ſaid Iſland, againſt the Pretenſions of any Perſon or Perſons claiming under the ſaid *Robert* or *Joſeph Seabrook*, or any of their Heirs.

WILLIAM STEWART.
JAMES MICHIE.

N.B. The ſaid Iſland will be ſpeedily ſettled with Stock if no Purchaſer offer.

RUN away from the Sloop *Nancy*, *Edward Lightwood* Maſter, a Muſtee Fellow, named *Jacob*, formerly belonging to Mr. *Eliſha Butler*, he has a great Scar on his Head, had on when he went away an Oznabrig Frock and Trowſers, and carried away a Bag with other Frocks, Trowſers a Blanket and a thick Pea Jacket. Whoever apprehends and brings him to me, or to the Work houſe in *Charleſtown*, ſhall have 5 *l.* reward, and all reaſonable Charges paid. I do likewiſe forwarn all Perſons from harbouring, employing or entertaining the ſaid *Jacob* EDWARD LIGHTWOOD.

TO be ſold, by the Subſcriber at *Gooſe-Creek*, Two compleat Setts of Black ſmith's Tools, with Bellows, Anvils, Bake Irons, &c. The Buyer may have 6 Months Credit, giving ſuch Security as ſhall be approved of by THOMAS LOVELESS.

TO be ſold by *William Fairchild* at the *Horſe ſhoe*, ſeveral Tracts of Land joining together where he now lives; very convenient for damming, planting Rice, and making Pitch, Tar and Turpentine, no Lightwood having been as yet taken from it, with a good large two Story Dwelling Houſe thereon, and ſcituate about 6 Miles from *Cheeheſſe* Landing on *Aſhepoo*, to which there is a good Road: One Tract contains 250 Acres; the ſecond 650; the Third 1410. Whoever has a mind to purchaſe all or either of them, may treat with me on the ſaid Lands WILLIAM FAIRCHILD.

Whereas the long Indulgence of the Hon. *John Fenwicke*, Eſq; and Company to their Debtors, has by moſt of them been abuſed, and produced an Effect contrary to what was expected; and therefore the ſaid Company have reſolv'd to uſe other Meaſures.

I hereby give Notice the ſame to all ſuch as know themſelves to be concerned; and that I am directed by the ſaid Company, on the 20th of *May* 1741, to put all the Bonds that ſhall then be unpaid, in Suit. Such of the ſaid Debtors as would ſave the Charges of a Suit, may do it, by diſcharging their Bonds before that Day: BUT THERE WILL BE NO LONGER FORBEARANCE.

Thomas Lamboll.

To be ſold by *Ribton Hutchinſon*, a Tract of Pine-Barren Land, on *John's-Iſland*, containing 400 Acres, part of it fit for Planting, and at about 4 Hours Diſtance from Town; it bounds on Lands belonging to Col. *John Gibbes*, Meſſrs. *Abraham Waite* and *John Stanyarn*, and is ſubject to a Quit Rent of *Twelve* Pence *per Hundred*, *Proclamation* Money: The Purchaſer may have a Year's Credit, giving Security and paying Intereſt from the Day of Sale.

Run away from the Ship *Faulcon*, *Francis Paske* Maſter, on Sunday Morning the 19th Inſtant *April*, Two indented Servants, named *Walter Martin*, a Taylor by Trade, and *Nathaniel Peters* a Barber: *Martin* is a ſhort, thin and ſlender Man, red hair'd, about 24 Years of Age, and had on a light colour'd Cloth Coat; *Peters* is a ſhort, thick, pot bellied Man, about 26 Years of Age, had on an old Pea Jacket. Whoever ſecures and brings them to *Charleſtown*, ſo as to be had before a Magiſtrate, ſhall receive 10 *l.* reward for each, beſides all reaſonable Charges paid. And all Perſons are deſired not to harbour or conceal them, as they will be proſecuted (if they do) with the utmoſt Severity of the Law. *Francis Paske*

All Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of *Charles Hill*, Eſq; deceaſed, are deſired to pay their reſpective Debts forthwith to the Subſcriber, or they will be ſued without further Notice: They having paid very little or no Regard to the former Advertiſements of the Executrix of the ſaid Deceaſed *Wm. G. Freeman.*

This is to give Notice, that *James Lowry*, Smith, living at Mrs. *Jane Maſſey*'s Shop, being reſolv'd to leave this Place by the beginning of *Auguſt* next, all Work now in his Hands will be done by that Time, and no more taken in. He (at the ſame time) hopes that what Work he has already done and credited, will be paid for without any further Trouble; and if any Perſons have any Demands or Accoſation againſt him, he deſires they would ſignify them to JAMES LOWRY.

The Creditors of *Alexander Skene*, Eſq; deceaſed, are deſired by his Executors, to bring in their ſeveral Demands to the Subſcriber, in order that ſuch ſpeedy and ſatisfactory Meaſures may be taken, as ſhall be approved by the Creditors, for the Payment of the Debts of the Deceaſed, ſo far as the Aſſets in the Hands of his Executors ſhall extend *Wm G. Freeman.*

All Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Mr. *Benjamin Downing* lately deceaſed, are deſired with all Speed to pay their reſpective Debts to his Brothers and Executors *William* and *George Downing*, or one of them; and all Perſons that have any Demands on the ſaid Eſtate, are deſired immediately to ſend their Accounts to either of the ſaid Executors properly atteſted, that proper Meaſures may be taken for their Diſcharge.

Whereas ſeveral Perſons who have long experienc'd the great Profit of making Coffins, and being unwilling to be rival'd, have been very induſtrious to report that I do not nor cannot make Coffins of any ſort, by which Means many who would otherwiſe employ'd me have had them made elſewhere, now this is to certify the Contrary, and that as I have now a large Aſſortment of Coffin Furniture lately imported from *London*, all Perſons in Town or Country who at any Time may be reduced to that melancholy Neceſſity may have Coffins of any ſort, made cheaper and better than any ever yet made in this Town, by *Joſiah Claypoole*, Cabinet-Maker, at the Sign of the Cabinet and Coffin, next Door to Capt. *Lewis Lormier*, in the Market Square in *Broad ſtreet*: And whereas by a conſtant Hurry of Cabinet Work, it has ſo happened that I have diſappointed ſeveral good Cuſtomers, this is further to give Notice, that in a ſhort Time I ſhall have two good Workmen from *London*, and ſhall then be in a Capacity to ſuit any Perſon who ſhall favour me with their Employ.

The Executors of *Francis Barbot*, late of *Combalee*, Store keeper, deceaſed, do hereby requeſt all Perſons who have any Demands on the ſaid *Barbot*'s Eſtate, to lodge their reſpective Accounts in the Hands of Meſſrs. *Houghton* and *Webb*, Merchants in *Charleſtown*, in order to an Adjuſtment of the ſame: And all Perſons who may be in any ſhape indebted to the ſaid *Barbot*'s Eſtate, are deſired to take this publick Notice, that unleſs their ſeveral Accounts be ſettled to the Satisfaction of the ſaid Executors, by the 30th of *May* next, the ſame will then be put into the Hands of Mr. *John Thorpe*, Attorney at Law, without further Delay. And ſuch Perſons who are ready to adjuſt their Accounts, may immediately pay the Demands thereupon into the Hands of Meſſrs *Houghton* and *Webb*, Merchants in *Charles-Town*

Whereas at the Time of my being abſent from this Province, the Houſe, Wharf and Stores in *Charles Town* belonging to Maj. *Pinckney*, were taken upon Rent for my Account, and all Manner of Buſineſs relating thereto was in the mean Time, by my Conſent, carried on and tranſacted by my Mother in my Name; therefore all Perſons that have any Demands on me ariſing thereby, are requeſted to give in their Accounts to me, that I may take proper Care to diſcharge the ſame.

And whereas I am determined to go off the Province again very ſoon, and my Affairs therefore require a ſpeedy Settlement, I ſhall be exceedingly obliged to all ſuch as are in like Manner indebted to me, if they will be ſo kind as to pay me at any Time before the firſt Day of *June* next, after which I ſhall be under the Neceſſity of leaving my Books in other Hands. *Stephen Lodge*, jun.

Whereas by a former Advertiſement I deſired all Perſons who had any Guns in my Cuſtody, to fetch them away and pay the Charges of mending, which ſeveral have neglected; this is therefore to give Notice, that unleſs fetch'd away by the firſt of *June* next, they will be diſpoſed of. *Jane Maſſey*

The Co-Partnerſhip between *Thomas Nightingale* & *James Paris* Sadlers being expir'd, all Perſons indebted to them, are deſired to pay the ſame to *James Paris* in *Charleſtown*, by the 20th of *May*, without further Notice.

N.B. *The ſaid* Paris *continues the Buſineſs at the Corner of* Broad-ſtreet, *oppoſite Mr.* Carrlos Shepheard.